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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

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**MERGED REISSUE & REEXAMINATION PROCEEDING**  
**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Date: December 28, 2005

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Final Office Action dated November 1, 2005.

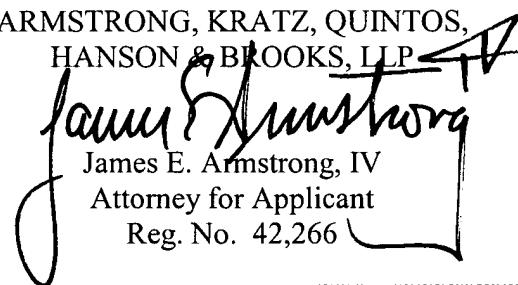
The item(s) below are appropriate:

1. The Final Rejection was issued on November 1, 2005, and the applicants are appealing **rejected claims 8-14 and 32-35** as provided in 37 C.F.R. 1.113. Claim 7 has been allowed.
3. Fee - a \$500.00 check is enclosed.

In the event this Notice of Appeal is not considered to be timely filed, Applicants hereby petition for an appropriate extension of time. The fee for this extension may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 01-2340, along with any other additional fees which may be required with respect to this Notice.

Respectfully submitted,

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